

Social Life in Norfolk.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

NORFOLK, VA., March 23.—Dr. and Mrs. William M. Wheeler were guests of honor at an attractive dinner on board the United States ship Cleveland, which was given by the United States Club, which was held at her home at Park Place.

Those playing were Mrs. M. C. Ferebee, Mrs. Frederick Stoll, Mrs. George L. Currier, Mrs. Jessie A. Davies, Mrs. Martin Greenwood, Mrs. R. M. Barrett, Mrs. Samuel Percebe, Miss Hattie Minter and Miss Mildred Everhart. A tea was given on board the United States ship Minnesota. Among those present were Mrs. E. B. Merritt, Miss Bessie Merritt, Miss Priscilla Mathews, of Shreveport, La.; Miss Jennie Barr, Miss Louise Ryan and Miss Emilie Vaughan, and Miss Mildred Holden, of Lexington, Va. The tea was given on board the United States ship Minnesota.

The members of the Tuesday Bridge Whist Club were entertained by Miss Nan Freeman at her home, on York Street. There were two tables, and those present were Miss Bull, of San Francisco; Misses Belle and Cornelia Truxton, of New York; Misses Mary, Mary, Bessie Doyle and Miss Mary Lou Cooke.

Mrs. B. C. Gray entertained several friends at cards at her home, on Warren Crescent. The occasion was in honor of her birthday.

Those present were: Mrs. Tunstall, Mrs. Gilliam, of Richmond; Mrs. W. L. Kelly, Mrs. Harry Hodges, Mrs. Ed. May, Mrs. William H. White, Mrs. J. Jett McCormick, Mrs. Frank T. Clark, Mrs. T. J. McMahon, Mrs. I. Carling, of Cabell, Mrs. Fannie and Mary, Mrs. Robt. De Jarnette, of Lynchburg, and Miss Mary Duncan.

Mrs. Flord Hughes entertained a few friends informally Wednesday afternoon at bridge whist. There were three tables and those playing were: Mrs. Harry Blasco, Mrs. Lawrence Adams, Mrs. R. T. Thorpe, Mrs. Holt W. Page, Mrs. C. Brooks Johnston, Mrs. Howard Shield, Mrs. M. Forney Reese, Mrs. Percy Stephenson, Mrs. Charles Laird and Mrs. Frederick Killam.

Mrs. Reid, of Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. George M. Pollard, on Freemason Street.

Mr. Joseph Venable, of Petersburg, is visiting friends in Norfolk.

Miss Mary Winder Garfield, of Williamsburg, is the guest of Miss Louise L. Taylor, 200 Pembroke Avenue, Ghent.

Miss Marie Layett, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Miss Hattie Page, on Yarmouth Street.

Miss Augusta Falls, of Washington, is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. Moran Barry, at the Merrimack.

Mrs. George L. Zell, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mrs. J. T. S. Reid, on Reddie Avenue.

Mrs. E. L. Duharry has gone on a visit to friends in Baltimore.

Mrs. Frances Richey, of Cincinnati, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Lee Walker, in Portsmouth.

Mrs. Richard D. Chamberlaine, who has been the guest of Mrs. Edwin G. Lee, in Ghent, has returned to her home in Baltimore.

Mrs. Mildred Bennett is the guest of Miss Ella Binford in Richmond.

Mrs. L. W. Lane, of Williamsburg, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. T. Lamb, on Fairfax Avenue.

Mrs. Herbert Drowry, who has been visiting friends in Richmond, has returned to her home.

Miss Louise Dillard, of Rocky Mount, Va., is the guest of Miss Cornelia McBlair on York Street.

Dr. and Mrs. Maher and daughter, of Norfolk, are visiting Mrs. Maher, who is visiting Mrs. Dodamead on Redgate Avenue. Dr. Maher returned to his home in the latter part of the week.

LURAY SOCIAL

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

LURAY, VA., March 23.—Spring grows apace in the fields of Luray, and the Shenandoah, wheat fields gleam in the sunshine and already great quantities of fish are being taken from the river at various points.

The winter season has been so socially pleasant without much gaiety.

A colonial concert arranged by Miss Elizabeth B. Borst, and given under the auspices of the Luray Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, was the distinguishing event of the season.

An attractive and varied program was rendered delightfully by the young people of the town, and the costumes of genuine beauty and historic fitness were greatly admired. The financial result was gratifying, and \$50 was contributed to the fund to complete "Beauvoir," the U. D. C. building, at the Jamestown Exposition, where Mrs. Samuel Walton and Miss Lena Stone will represent their chapter as hostesses at the time assigned them. The Ithica Quartet also added a delightful evening to the winter's pleasures.

Mrs. Ota Tyler has returned from a visit of several weeks to her niece, Mrs. Woodward, in Richmond.

Miss Mary B. Brown attended the funeral of her nephew, Garland Rosson, in Culpeper county, on Tuesday, returned on Wednesday evening.

John Huff and Mrs. Huff have sent out cards to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Florence Webb, to Mr. Hubert H. Hudson, at Mount Carmel Baptist Church, on the 3d of April.

Miss Pearl Hudson will come home from Hollins for the wedding.

Mrs. Theodore M. Judd and Mrs. Judd (nee Selbert) returned on Wednesday from their wedding journey and visit of two weeks at the home of Mr. Judd's parents, in Washington, D. C.

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LEXINGTON

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Mayor Samuel B. Walker was absent the past week in New York on business. During his absence Councilman A. G. Hutton was acting Mayor.

Mr. W. N. Key has been elected senior deacon of Mountain City Lodge of Ancient York Masons, of Lexington, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. F. H. White.

Rev. W. W. Moore, D. D., of the Union Theological Seminary of Richmond, will occupy the pulpit of the Lexington Presbyterian Church Sunday morning next.

Miss Frank T. Glasgow is in Columbia, S. C., visiting Dr. and Mrs. William M. McPheters.

Miss Roberta Crawford, of Strasburg, is the guest of Miss Martha Moore, on Institute Hill.

Mrs. Charles A. Lucy has gone to Roanoke to spend some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Lucy.

Mr. Henry O. Dold has returned from a visit to New York and Washington. Spring examinations are now in progress at Washington and Lee University, and will continue for the next ten days.

Mr. J. McD. Adair is in New York on business.

SCOTTSVILLE SOCIAL

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SCOTTSVILLE, VA., March 23.—One hundred new chairs have been ordered for the auditorium of the High School building, rendering the seating capacity, when put in, 250.

Senator and Mrs. Thomas S. Martin were still in Egypt when last heard from by Scottsville friends. Mrs. Martin continues to improve and the Senator is enjoying himself greatly. They will return about the 1st of May.

Mr. J. C. Goodman has returned from a business trip to Louisiana county. Miss Maggie Clements is in Scottsville again after a visit of several weeks to her brother, Dr. D. O. Clements, of Gloucester.

Dr. J. P. Blair spent Wednesday in Richmond.

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Lawn Waist Values

Lawn Waists, with tucked or trimmed fronts, for 50c.

White Lawn Waists, lace or embroidery trimmings, many different styles to select from, for 98c.

White Lawn Waists, made of good lawn and dainty trimmings, for \$1.25.

2 Pretty Net Waists

Fine Net Waists, tucked and trimmed, for \$3.00.

White Net Waists, with fine tucked and Val. yoke, lace collar and cuffs, for \$5.08.

Corsets

Three Offers Unequaled

Misses' Girdles, in white, pink and white, and blue and white; 50c value, 39c.

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